

souri State Teachers Association and a life member of the National Education Association. He retired from active duty in 1936.

#### W. E. Matthews

W. E. Matthews, 50 years old, superintendent of schools in Independence since June, 1938, died unexpectedly at his home in Independence, November 11.

Mr. Matthews had not been ill but it was learned that he was recently examined by a physician when he complained of not feeling well.

He was born August 7, 1896, near St. Joseph, Missouri, and was a graduate of Central Missouri State College and the University of Missouri.

Mr. Matthews went to Independence from Slater, serving as school superintendent there. Before that he had been principal of Center school and of Farmers' high school in Johnson county.

#### SICKNESS INSURANCE PAYS

August 29, 1946

Missouri State Teachers Association  
Columbia, Missouri

Dear Sirs:

The Continental Casualty Company's draft for \$50 to cover my time loss indemnity from August 8 to August 22, 1946, was received yesterday. I surely do appreciate your promptness and kindly courtesy.

Yours truly,

/s/ Henrietta M. Crotty

#### IMPORTANT EVENTS

##### DECEMBER

- 4 American Vocational Association National Convention, St. Louis, December 4-7, 1946.
- 9 Schoolmasters Club of Northeast Missouri Meeting, Macon, December 9, 1946.
- 27 National Council of Geography Teachers Annual Meeting, Neil House, Columbus, Ohio, December 27-28, 1946.

##### JANUARY

- 27 Missouri State Association County Superintendents Meeting, Columbia, January 27, 1947.

##### FEBRUARY

- 9 Negro History Week, February 9-15, 1947.
- 19 American Association of Junior Colleges 27th Annual Meeting, Hotel Jefferson, St. Louis, February 19-22, 1947.

##### MARCH

- 20 Missouri Association of School Administrators Thirty-third Annual Meeting, Columbia, March 20-21, 1947.
- 22 Department of Classroom Teachers of MSTA Second Annual Conference, Columbia, March 22, 1947.

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